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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 11, 2002, Applicants first respectfully request entry of the following amendments:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows.

On page 10, please replace the paragraph at lines 26-30 with the following:

The diaper 300 additionally has two longitudinal side edges 323, 325, a front end edge 309 and a back end edge 311, and it has a front portion 313, a back portion 315 and a narrower crotch portion 317 situated between the front portion 313 and the back portion 315.